Regulatory Language

Modified Option 3 Limited season in the American, Feather and Sacramento rivers to achieve harvest target of 8,200 fall Chinook and a late-fall Chinook season

Subsection (b)(5), Section 7.50, Title 14, CCR, is amended to read:

Body of Water	Open Season and Special Regulations	Daily Bag and Possession Limit
(5) American River (Sacramento Co.)		
(A) From Nimbus Dam to the Hazel Avenue bridge piers.	All year. Jan. 1 through [July 15 to Dec. 31].	2 hatchery trout or hatchery steelhead** 4 hatchery trout or hatchery steelhead** in possession Closed to salmon fishing. No take or possession of salmon.
	<u>FVaried dates</u> between July 16	2 hatchery trout or
(D) From Hozol Avenue bridge piece to the H.C.	through Dec. 31.]	hatchery steelhead** 4 hatchery trout or hatchery steelhead** in pessession [1-2] Chinoek salmen
(B) From Hazel Avenue bridge piers to the U.S. Geological Survey gauging station cable crossing about 300 yards downstream from the Nimbus Hatchery fish rack site.	Jan. 1 through Sept. 14[July 15 to Sept. 14]. Only barbless hooks may be used.	2 hatchery trout or hatchery steelhead**

Body of Water	Open Season and Special Regulations	Daily Bag and Possession Limit
	<u>[Varied dates</u>	4 hatchery trout or hatchery steelhead** in possession Closed to salmon fishing. No take or possession of salmon. 2 hatchery
	between July 16 through Sept. 14.1 Only barbless hooks may be used.	trout of hatchery steelhead** 4 hatchery trout of hatchery steelhead** in possession [1-2] Chinook salmon
(C) From the U.S. Geological Survey gauging station cable crossing about 300 yards downstream from the Nimbus Hatchery fish rack site to the SMUD power line crossing at the southwest boundary of Ancil Hoffman Park.	Jan. 1 through Oct. 31[July 15 to Oct. 31]. Only barbless hooks may be used.	2 hatchery trout or hatchery steelhead** 4 hatchery trout or hatchery steelhead** in possession Closed to salmon fishing. No take or possession of salmon.
	Formula	2 hatchery trout or <u>hatchery</u>

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Body of Water	Special Regulations	Possession Limit
	Only barbless hooks may be used.	steelhead** 4 hatchery trout or hatchery steelhead** in possession [1-2] Chinook salmon
(D) From the SMUD power line crossing at the southwest boundary of Ancil Hoffman Park downstream to the mouth.	All yearJan. 1 through FJuly 15 to Dec. 31 Oct. 29.	2 hatchery trout or hatchery steelhead** 4 hatchery trout or hatchery steelhead** in possession Closed to salmon fishing. No take or possession of salmon.
	Evaried dates between July 16 through Dec. 31.1 Oct. 30 through Nov. 28.	2 hatchery trout or hatchery steelhead** 4 hatchery trout or hatchery steelhead** in possession [1-2] 2 Chinook salmon
	Nov. 29 through Dec. 31.	2 hatchery trout or hatchery steelhead** 4 hatchery

Body of Water	Open Season and Special Regulations	Daily Bag and Possession Limit
		trout or hatchery steelhead** in possession Closed to salmon fishing. No take or possession of salmon.

Subsection 7.50(b)(68), Title 14, CCR, is amended to read:

Body of Water	Open Season and	Daily Bag and
	Special Regulations	Possession
		Limit
(68) Feather River below Oroville Dam (Butte,		
Sutter and Yuba Cos.).		
(A) From Fish Barrier Dam to Table Mountain	Closed to all fishing	
bicycle bridge in Oroville.	all year.	
(B) From Table Mountain bicycle bridge to Highway	Jan. 1 through July	1 hatchery
70 bridge.	15. Only barbless	trout or
	hooks may be used.	hatchery
		steelhead**
		Closed to
		salmon
		fishing.
		No take or
		possession of
		salmon.
(C) From Highway 70 bridge to the mouth <u>Sunset</u>	All year. <u>Jan. 1</u>	1 hatchery
Pumps (approx. 5 miles downstream of the town	through [July 15 to	trout or
of Live Oak)1,000 feet below the Thermalito	Sept. 30].	hatchery
Afterbay Outfall.		steelhead**
		Closed to
		salmon
		fishing.
		No take or
		possession of
		salmon.

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	[Varied dates	1 hatchery
	between July 16	trout or
	through Sept. 30.]	hatchery
		steelhead**
		[1-2] Chinook
		salmon
	Oct. 1 through Dec.	1 hatchery
	31.	trout or
	<u> </u>	hatchery
		steelhead**
		Closed to
		salmon
		fishing.
		No take or
		possession
		of salmon.
(D) From Sunset Pumps (approx. 5 miles	Jan. 1 through [July	1 hatchery
downstream of the town of Live Oak) 1,000 feet	15 to Dec. 31].July	trout or
below the Thermalito Afterbay Outfall to the	<u>30.</u>	hatchery
mouth.		steelhead**
- Incurre		Closed to
		salmon
		fishing.
		No take or
		possession of
		<u>salmon.</u>
	Varied dates	1 hatchery
	between July 16	trout or
	through Dec. 31.]	<u>hatchery</u>
	July 31 through	steelhead**
	<u>Aug. 29.</u>	[1-2] 2
		<u>Chinook</u>
		<u>salmon</u>
	Aug. 30 through	1 hatchery
	<u>Dec. 31.</u>	trout or
		<u>hatchery</u>
		steelhead**
		Closed to
		<u>salmon</u>
		<u>fishing.</u>
		No take or
		possession
		of salmon.

Subsection 7.50(b)(156), Title 14, CCR, is amended to read:

	Open Season and	Daily Bag and
Body of Water	Special Regulations	Possession Limit
(156) Sacramento River main stem and	Also see Sierra	
Sacramento River tributaries (Butte, Colusa,	District General	
Contra Costa, Glenn, Sacramento, Shasta,	Regulations (See	
Siskiyou, Solano, Sutter, Tehama and Yolo Cos.).	Section 7.00(b)).	
(A) Sacramento River and tributaries from Box	All year. Only artificial	0
Canyon Dam downstream to the Scarlett Way	lures with barbless	
bridge in Dunsmuir.	hooks may be used.	
(B) Sacramento River and tributaries excluding	Last Saturday in Apr.	5 per day 10 in
Soda Creek from Scarlett Way bridge	through Nov. 15.	possession
downstream to the county bridge at Sweetbriar		
(See Soda Creek 7.50(b)(180.5)).		
(C) Sacramento River mainstem (excluding all	Nov. 16 through the	0
tributaries) from the Scarlett Way bridge	Friday preceding the	
downstream to the county bridge at Sweetbriar.	last Saturday in Apr.	
	Only artificial lures	
	with barbless hooks	
	may be used.	
(D) Sacramento River and tributaries excluding	Last Saturday in Apr.	2
Castle Creek from the county bridge at Sweetbriar	through Nov. 15. Only	
downstream to Shasta Lake (See Castle Creek	artificial lures with	
7.50(b)(39.3)).	barbless hooks may	
	be used.	_
(E) Sacramento River mainstem (excluding <u>all</u>	Nov. 16 through the	0
tributaries) from the county bridge at Sweetbriar	Friday preceding the	
downstream to Shasta Lake.	last Saturday in Apr.	
	Only artificial lures	
	with barbless hooks	
	may be used.	
(F) Sacramento River from Keswick Dam to 650	Closed to all fishing all	
feet below Keswick Dam.	year.	
(G) Sacramento River from 650 feet below	All year. Trout	1 trout
Keswick Dam to the Deschutes Road bridge.	maximum size limit:	Closed to salmon
	16 inches total length.	fishing.
	Only barbless hooks	No take or
	may be used.	possession of
(1) 0		salmon.
(H) Sacramento River from the Deschutes Road	Jan. 1 through Mar.	2 hatchery trout or
Bridge to 500 feet upstream from Red Bluff	31.	hatchery
Diversion Dam.		steelhead**
		4 hatchery trout or

	hatchery
	steelhead** in
	possession
	Closed to salmon
	fishing.
	No take or
	possession of salmon.
Apr. 1 through Aug	
Apr. 1 through Aug	2 hatchery trout or
30. Aug. 30.	hatchery
	steelhead**
	4 hatchery trout or
	hatchery
	steelhead** in
	possession and 1
	wild trout **
	Closed to salmon
	fishing.
	No take or
	possession of
	salmon.
Aug. 31 through Dec	2 hatchery trout or
31. <u>Dec. 31.</u>	hatchery
Oct. 8.	steelhead**
	4 hatchery trout or
	hatchery
	steelhead** in
	possession
	Closed to salmon
	fishing.
	No take or
	possession of
	salmon.
Oct. 9 through Oct.	2 hatchery trout or
<u>31.</u>	<u>hatchery</u>
	steelhead**
	4 hatchery trout or
	hatchery
	steelhead** in
	possession
	2 Chinook salmon
Nov. 1 through Dec.	2 hatchery trout or
<u>31.</u>	<u>hatchery</u>
	steelhead**

(I) Sacramento River from 500 feet upstream from	Closed to all fishing all	4 hatchery trout or hatchery steelhead** in possession Closed to salmon fishing. No take or possession of salmon.
Red Bluff Diversion Dam to 150 feet below the	year.	
Lower Red Bluff (Sycamore) Boat Ramp. (J) Sacramento River from 150 feet below the Lower Red Bluff (Sycamore) Boat Ramp to the Hwy 113 bridge near Knights Landing.	Jan. 1 to Nov. 15through [July 15 to Dec. 31]. Oct. 8.	2 hatchery trout or hatchery steelhead** 4 hatchery trout or hatchery steelhead** in possession Closed to salmon fishing. No take or possession of salmon.
	Nov. 16 to Dec. 31. [Varied dates between July 16 through Dec. 31.] Oct. 9 through Dec. 12.	2 hatchery trout or hatchery steelhead** 4 hatchery trout or hatchery steelhead** in possession 1 [1-2] 2 Chinook salmon
	Dec. 13 through Dec. 31.	2 hatchery trout or hatchery steelhead** 4 hatchery trout or hatchery steelhead** in possession Closed to salmon fishing. No take or possession of

		salmon.
(K) Sacramento River from the Hwy 113 bridge	Jan. 1 through Dec.	2 hatchery trout or
near Knights Landing to the Carquinez Bridge	31 July 15 to Dec. 31].	hatchery
(includes Suisun Bay, Grizzly Bay and all tributary	Sept. 3.	steelhead**
sloughs).		4 hatchery trout or
		hatchery
		steelhead** in
		possession
		Closed to salmon
		fishing.
		No take or
		possession of
		salmon.
	Varied dates	2 hatchery trout or
	between July 16	<u>hatchery</u>
	through Dec. 31.]	steelhead**
	Sept. 4 through Oct.	4 hatchery trout or
	<u>3.</u>	<u>hatchery</u>
		steelhead** in
		<u>possession</u>
		[1-2]
		<u>salmon</u>
	Oct. 4 through Dec	2 hatchery trout
	<u>31.</u>	or hatchery
		steelhead**
		4 hatchery trout
		or hatchery
		steelhead** in
		possession
		Closed to salmon
		<u>fishing.</u>
		No take or
		possession of
		<u>salmon.</u>

^{*} Wild Chinook salmon are those not showing a healed adipose fin clip and not showing a healed left ventral fin clip.

NOTE:

^{**} Hatchery trout or steelhead are those showing a healed adipose fin clip (adipose fin is absent). Unless otherwise provided, all other trout and steelhead must be immediately released. Wild trout or steelhead are those not showing a healed adipose fin clip.

Authority cited: Sections 200, 202, 205, 215, 220, 240, 315 and 316.5, Fish and Game Code. Reference: Sections 200, 202, 205, 206, 215 and 316.5, Fish and Game Code.